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TS AUTH. J Burke REASON(S) CDC Memo
ENDORSE EXISTING MARKINGS ☐ 2/2/85
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CINCSTRIKE FOR RAMSEY

LIMDIS

MIRAGES FOR JORDAN

EMBTEL 1633 SENT AMMAN 25 LONDON 251

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1. QUAI [redacted] GAVE EMBOFF, B1
SEPTEMBER 30, FOLLOWING STATUS REPORT FRANCO-JORDANIAN CREDIT-TERM NEGOTIATIONS RELATED TRANSACTION DISCUSSED REF EMBTEL:

GENERAL KHAMMASH HAS ASKED FRENCH GOVERNMENT FOR CREDIT

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TERMS SIMILAR TO THOSE FRENCH OFFERED LEBANON.

FRENCH GOVERNMENT AGREEABLE OFFER JORDANIANS PRICE EQUIVALENT THAT OFFERED LEBANESE AND SAME DELIVERY DELAYS "FOR FIRST TWO RPT TWO AIRCRAFT"; HOWEVER GOF DOES NOT RPT NOT WISH OFFER JORDANIANS SAME CREDIT FACILITIES OFFERED GOL.

MATTER CURRENTLY RESTS THERE.

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2. [redacted] DREW EMBOFF'S ATTENTION TO "RUMORS" WHICH HE CLAIMED CIRCULATING PARIS (AND WHICH HE ATTRIBUTED TO KING HUSSEIN) USG PREPARED PAY DIFFERENCE BETWEEN COST MIGS AND MIRAGE III AIRCRAFT. ASKED FOR REACTION.

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EMBOFF SAID HE UNINFORMED ANY CHANGE IN USGOVT'S ATTITUDE THIS ASPECT WHICH KNOWN TO GOF; PROMISED INFORM QUAIOFF IF USGOVT'S POSITION CHANGED.

3. AS EMBOFF TAKING LEAVE QUAIOFF REMARKED SWEDISH REPRESENTATIVES ALSO APPEARED BE TAKING AN INTEREST IN JORDANIAN AIRCRAFT REQUIREMENTS. WHEN EMBOFF ASKED FOR DETAILS, QUAIOFF EVASIVE; SUGGESTED EMBOFF INQUIRE WHETHER FURTHER INFORMATION AVAILABLE WASHINGTON.

4. IN REPLY QUERY, QUAIOFF STATED MIRAGE III F-2 PRODUCTION

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DECISION STILL UNDER STUDY.
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